

**IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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International Application No.	:	
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24 May 2004	:	<b>CONNECTOR, FALL-</b>
Priority Date	:	<b>ABSORBING BASE</b>
22 May 2003	:	<b>AND A KIT OF PARTS</b>
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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)**

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Attention: International Division, Legal Staff

Sir:

This application became abandoned on November 22, 2005 by reason of failure to enter the national phase within thirty (30) months of the applicant's priority date of May 22, 2003. The delay in entering the national phase of this application was unintentional. A proper response is attached hereto and comprises the following:

Government Filing Fee in the amount of \$450.00, a surcharge for the late filing of a Declaration (37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)) in the amount of \$65.00, a recording fee of \$40.00, Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, an Assignment, Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning A Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (Form PTO-1390), and a Preliminary Amendment. A copy of the petitioner's published PCT application (Front Page with Abstract, Specification, Claims, Drawings and International Search Report) is attached as a courtesy copy although it was previously

communicated by the International Bureau (37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)). The above petitioner is entitled to claim small entity status in the United States.

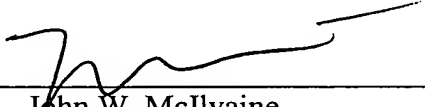
A separate check in the amount of \$750.00 for the Petition Fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(m) is attached hereto.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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